## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Terrence Martineau et al.

For : MULTIPLE LINK CONNECTOR

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.114

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2009, and further to the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

<u>CLAIM AMENDMENTS</u> begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 10 of this paper.